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News worth sharing.

Slain woman's family stunned

- 24-year-old city's 28th homicide of 2011
- Killed in path known for seedy activity

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Relatives of a young woman found slain in a concealed area on the northern fringes of downtown are awaiting answers as the homicide squad works to piece together the last hours of her life.

Police said April Helen Hornbrook, 24, was found dead near a dirt pathway running next to the Yellow Warehouse building on Main Street at Sutherland Avenue.

A person walking along a dirt path in the brushy area noticed her body around 9 a.m. Saturday and called 911, police said yesterday.

She had injuries to her upper body that police said left little doubt she had been murdered. An autopsy to confirm the cause of death is pending.

The woman's father, Richard Hornbrook, said he last saw his daughter Friday near the Northern Hotel — not far from where her body was discovered.

April, the eldest of five siblings, was riding her bike — something she loved to do, her dad said.

"She was happy, just going around," he said. He didn't know where she was headed.

On Saturday morning, two homicide investigators turned up at his father's door in the North End and said April had died. The officers provided few details, he said.

"That didn't sink in right away," said April's grandfather, Reg. "I didn't believe (the officers)."

Reg said he didn't want to interfere with the police investigation by asking questions.

"I didn't want to ask whether she was stabbed or shot," he said.

Later in the day he said friends called on the phone speculating on how April died but he didn't want to hear their theories.

"She was a caring person … she was always happy and cheerful," he said.

A memorial service is in the works, the family said.

Police are asking anyone with information about April — especially those who were in recent contact with her — to call 986-6508 or Crime Stoppers at 786-TIPS.

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▶ Richard Hornbrook holds an undated picture of his daughter, April, who was found dead next to the Yellow Warehouse on Main Street early Saturday morning. Her grandfather, Reg, (rear) says the death has hit him hard.

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No regrets turning to track: Winnipeg Paralypian

Athletes for Team Canada won't be selected until next summer Goal is for Team Canada to place in top eight of nations in terms of medal count

When it was first suggested she try wheelchair racing Michelle Stilwell bluntly refused.

Stilwell made excuses. She was retired, having won a gold medal in wheelchair basketball at the 2000 Sydney Paralympics. She wanted to spend time with her husband and young son. She hated training in cold and rain.

But deep down inside Stilwell knew the real reason for her reluctance. Left a quadriplegic following an accident when she was 17, Stilwell didn't want to return to racing on a track because it stirred some old, painful memories.

"Part of that was I ran track in high school," she said in a recent telephone interview from her home in Nanoose Bay, B.C. "It was just a sport I didn't see myself getting into."

After some persuading Stilwell changed her mind and has become one of the world's elite racers.

When the 2012 Paralympic Games begin in London a year from today, Stilwell will be one of the Canadian medal threats. She won gold in both the 100 and 200 metres at the 2008 Beijing Paralympics, setting Games records.

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▶ At next year's Paralympic games in London, former Winnipegger Michelle Stilwell is considered a medal threat.

Simply defending her titles in London won't be enough for the 31-year-old Winnipeg native.

"In Beijing, in both my 100 and 200, there were tactical errors that I know I could have done better," she said. "I could have had the world record.

"Heading to London that is something I want. I want it all. I'm a little greedy."

Stilwell has seen a steady growth in recognition and acceptance of the Paralympics. Hosting the 2010 Winter Paralympics in Whistler and Vancouver further raised awareness of disabled athletes.

"Every time we have a Games ... we get more media coverage. More people are getting excited about it." **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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Winnipeg obviously loves their Bombers.

Two weeks ago, we launched our Blue and Gold campaign — to get 1,000 "Likes" on Facebook before Aug. 31 in order to change our colours from Saskatchewan Roughrider green and white to Winnipeg Blue Bombers blue and gold.

I admit I was nervous. What if they didn't like us?

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I thought it might come down to the wire, but we did it with almost a week to spare.

So, thanks to your support, come the Friday editions of Metro Winnipeg before the Banjo Bowl and the Labour Day Classic, we'll show our solidarity with the Big Blue by changing our colours — something Metro, which owns papers around the world — has never done.

Thank you, Winnipeg, and thank you to those who took the time to make a few clicks and give us a thumbs up.

Thumbs up to you, too. Go Blue Go!

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Man dies after being stabbed

A man involved in a fight that took place a week ago has died.

Winnipeg police said Robert Rourke, 22, died on Friday after being taken to hospital Aug. 20 after a fight on Burrows Avenue. He was stabbed in the upper chest and was originally taken to hospital in critical condition, then upgraded to stable. His condition worsened over the week.

Gregory Troy Govereau, 38, now faces second-degree murder charges in addition to charges of aggravated assault and possession of a weapon. **METRO**

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Mom seeking answers in daughter's death

Tiffany Maureen Skye's body was recently discovered near Lockport

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RCMP continue to probe the mysterious death of a young Winnipeg woman after her body was pulled from the Red River outside the city more than two weeks ago.

Josephine Skye, the mother of Tiffany Maureen Skye, 19, said yesterday she last heard from investigators Friday when they called wondering how to locate a relative.

Officers have been hunting for clues for weeks after Tiffany was found dead in the river near Lockport, about 40 kilometres from the city, on Aug. 13. Police said she was last seen five days earlier either in the downtown or at The Forks.

"Why would she end up all the way over there? That's the thing — why way over there?" Josephine asked.

The mother said the last anyone heard from Tiffany was through a text message on Aug. 8, saying she was with her "bros" at The Forks. That same afternoon was the last time Josephine ever saw her daughter, at her sister's home in the North End, she said.

"I just want to know what happened to her — the people she was with should come forward and say something."
JOSEPHINE SKYE, MOTHER

There's also some suggestion Tiffany may have been spotted at the St. Regis Hotel in downtown Winnipeg with "some guy," Josephine said, but added she had no clue who that man may be.

An autopsy did not reveal a cause of death, police have said.

Josephine said not knowing what happened is "very hard," and she hopes someone will soon come forward to help police and the family find answers.

Anyone with information is asked to call the RCMP serious crimes tip line at 986-6447.

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▶ Josephine Skye holds a recent photo of her daughter, Tiffany. The 19-year-old's body was pulled from the river near Lockport five days after she was last seen.

News in pictures

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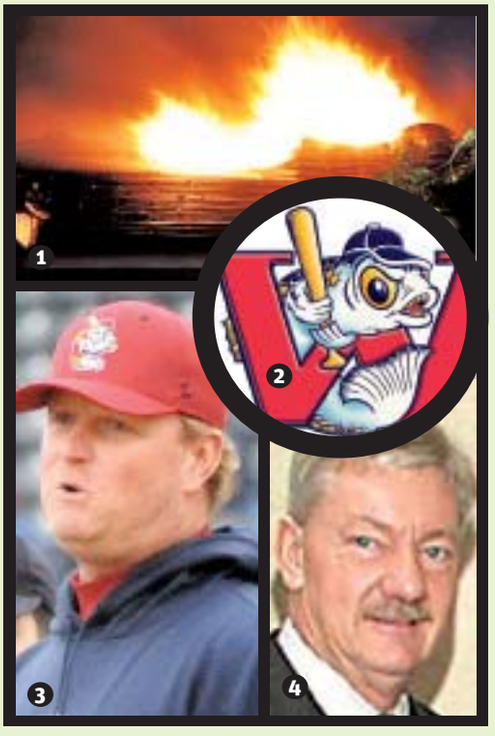

1 Winnipeg police have arrested George Leslie Guimond, 53, after a garbage bin was allegedly set on fire on Langside Street Saturday evening.

2 Move over Swaggerville, the Winnipeg Goldeyes clinched the American Association North Division pennant on Friday with a 9-5 win over rivals Fargo-Moorhead Redhawks.

3 In addition to winning the pennant, Goldeyes GM Rick Forney has been named the league's 2011 manager of the year — the first time a manager for the Goldeyes has won.

4 Ken Hildahl, the former Winnipeg Blue Bombers board of directors chair and current CEO and president of the MLCC, died Friday. He was 61. ● ELISHA DACEY

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Typhoon kills 10 in the Philippines

Typhoon Nanmadol began blowing toward Taiwan yesterday after leaving at least 10 people dead and scuttling a visit by a U.S. Navy carrier group in the Philippines, officials said.

Taiwan issued sea and land warnings and planned to evacuate about 6,000 people in its eastern and southern regions. Troops and rescue equipment were deployed.

The typhoon drenched the northern Philippines with rain for days before pummeling the area with fierce wind, setting off landslides and floods and toppling walls that left at least six others missing. About 20 were injured by landslides and toppled trees, said Benito Ramos, who heads the Office of Civil Defence.

Domestic airlines also cancelled more than a dozen flights in northern and central Philippines.

Nanmadol had sustained wind of 195 kilometres per hour and gusts of 230 kph Friday, becoming the strongest typhoon to hit the Philippines so far this year. It weakened after grazing northern Cagayan province Saturday.

Nanmadol was expected to hit Taiwan today, Taiwan's weather bureau said. It urged residents to prepare for strong winds and torrential rain, and warned of landslides.

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▶ A man salvages steel rods yesterday on the rubble of a wall that collapsed killing one man and injuring two others in suburban Novaliches, Quezon City, Philippines.

Storm impact

- **Two children died in the** resort city of Baguio after a concrete wall collapsed.
- **Seven people perished in** landslides or drowned.
- **About 20 landslides** blocked roads in Benguet, a gold-mining region north of Manila.
- **More than 57,000** villagers fled their homes in 10 other northern provinces.

Irene's punch not as packed in N.Y.

Storm knocked out power to 4.5 million on Eastern Seaboard At least 15 people died in the chaos

Stripped of hurricane rank, Tropical Storm Irene spent the last of its fury yesterday, leaving treacherous flooding and millions without power — but an unfazed New York and relief that it was nothing like the nightmare authorities feared.

The East Coast surveyed the damage, up to $7 billion US by one private estimate, and worried of danger still lurking: The possibility of rivers and streams swelling with rainwater and overflowing in coming days.

The nation's most populous region began the arduous process of getting back to normal. New York lifted its evacuation order for 370,000 people and said it hoped to have its subway rolling again today. Philadelphia restarted its trains and buses.

"All in all," New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg said, "we are in pretty good shape."

The centre of Irene passed over Central Park with the storm packing 105-kilometre per hour winds. By evening, it brushed over New England and moved east at 80 kilometres per hour. It was expected to drift into Canada later yesterday or early today. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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▶ A passerby steps over lines knocked over by a large tree, which was blown down by Tropical Storm Irene as it passed through the Astoria neighbourhood of the Queens borough of New York yesterday.

Travellers wait on flights

Travellers across the nation waited for flights to resume in and out of East Coast airports that were closed by Tropical Storm Irene this weekend.

Federal officials said airports reopened around Washington, which took a glancing blow from Irene.

American Airlines said it was resuming flights at the three major airports around the capital. New York-area airports remained closed yesterday morning. The longer that New York's Kennedy, LaGuardia and Newark, N.J., airports are shuttered, the worse it will be.

Airlines said passengers should call ahead and make sure they have a confirmed seat before going to the airport.

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U.S. kills al-Qaida leader

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U.S. and Pakistani officials said al-Qaida's second-in-command, Atiyah Abd al-Rahman, has been killed in Pakistan, delivering another big blow to a terrorist group that the U.S. believes to be on the verge of defeat.

A Libyan national, al-Rahman never had the worldwide name recognition of bin Laden or bin Laden's successor, Ayman al-Zawahiri. But al-Rahman was regarded as an instrumental figure in the terrorist organization, trusted by bin Laden to oversee al-Qaida's daily operations. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Libya rebels reject Gadhafi offer for talks

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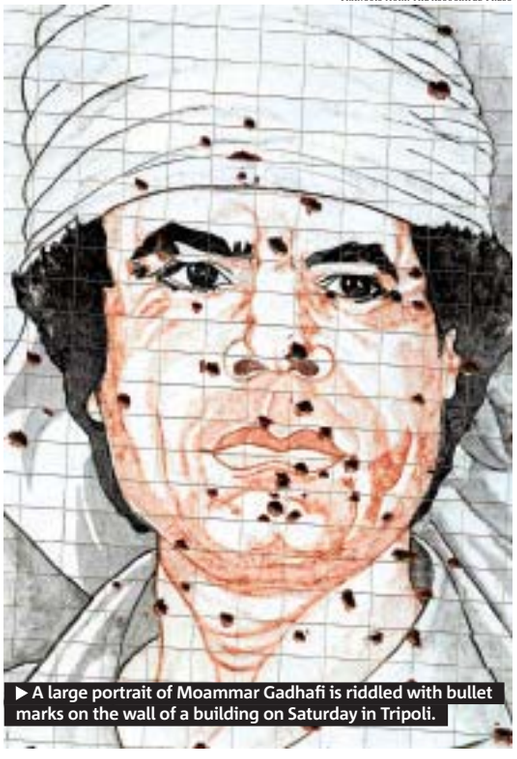

▶ A large portrait of Moammar Gadhafi is riddled with bullet marks on the wall of a building on Saturday in Tripoli.

Regime loyalists executed citizens, detainees: Rights group

Libyan rebels yesterday rejected an offer by Moammar Gadhafi to negotiate and said they have captured the eastern town of Bin Jawwad, forcing regime loyalists to flee after days of fighting.

With his regime crumbling, Gadhafi is on the run, but his chief spokes-man Moussa Ibrahim told The Associated Press the Libyan leader is still in Libya. As the call for negotiations came, new signs emerged of arbitrary killings of detainees and civilians by Gadhafi forces during the rebels' push into Tripoli earlier this week, including some 50 charred corpses at a regime lockup.

The rebels dismissed Gadhafi's proposal, relayed by Ibrahim by phone, to have his son al-Saadi lead talks on a transitional government as delusional.

"I would like to state very clearly, we don't recognize them. We are looking at them as criminals. We are going to arrest them very soon," Mahmoud Shammam, the information minister in the rebels' transitional government, told a news conference dictatorship."

"Talking about negotiations is a daydream for what remains of the dictatorship"
MAHMOUD SHAMMAM, INFORMATION MINISTER OF THE TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT

In London yesterday, British Foreign Secretary William Hague also dismissed the offer, saying the National Transitional Council was already in charge of the country and that Gadhafi should call on his supporters to stop fighting.
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Pan Am bomber to stay in Libya

The Libyan rebel government will not deport the man convicted of the 1988 Lockerbie bombing, its justice minister said yesterday.

New York senators on Aug. 22 asked the Libyan transitional government to hold Abdel-Baset al-Megrahi fully accountable for the bombing of Pan Am flight 103, which killed 270 people.

But the transitional government Justice Minister Mohammed al-Alagi told journalists in Tripoli that the request by American senators had "no meaning" because al-Megrahi had already been tried and convicted.
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Man held after cops run over

Police on Sunday arrested a 28-year-old man on suspicion of attempted murder of two Metropolitan Police officers during the height of the London riots earlier in August.

The suspect, who has not been named, is accused of taking part in the early morning attack that left two policemen hospitalized with knee, leg and shoulder injuries.

The officers, who were chasing looters leaving a The Aristocrats clothing store in London, came under direct attack when a green Citroen was driven directly at them at high speed. One of the policemen was hit so hard that his body armour came off.
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Foreigners flee from battered Tripoli

Around a thousand Egyptians, Jordanians and Filipinos were boarding a passenger ferry yesterday to escape continuing instability and shortages in the battered capital.

A week after rebels swept into the capital and toppled the regime of Moammar Gadhafi, Tripoli is more secure but remains wracked by shortages and instability.

"The whole situation is worrisome, and daily life is very difficult, so we want to leave until daily life returns to normal," said Abu Obeidi Labib, an Egyptian documentary filmmaker.

He wants to leave for the sake of his young daughter and his pregnant wife.

"We will return after it calms down, but the (NATO) bombardments upset my child and now my wife can't stand all the shooting," he added.

The port was filled with people scrabbling to get on the ferry, which normally plies the waters between Turkey and Lebanon but is now being used by the International Organization for Migration.
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Layton's legacy already being felt: McDonough

Former party leader says understanding of Quebec was key to Layton's success Adds the party is ready to take up the challenges left behind

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Niagara Falls is illuminated in orange to honour the late New Democratic Party leader Jack Layton on Saturday, the day of his state funeral in Toronto.

Jack Layton's ability to connect with Quebecers and tap into their social-democratic sentiments were key to his success, and will be key to any future success of those who come after him, one of his predecessors said Saturday.

At the same time, former NDP leader Alexa McDonough said, people are already picking up where Layton left off in terms of his nation-building.

"He had spent his entire adult life influencing people to take up the social democratic cause," McDonough said in an interview.

"You can already see that he's reached beyond the grave in terms of challenging people to carry on."

McDonough said Layton managed to tap into something that none of his predecessors, herself included, were able to do.

Part of that success, she said, was Layton's "cachet" at having been born in Quebec and his ability to speak French fluently.

But there was something even more important to his ability to connect with Quebecers in their own language.

"He also understood at a really deep level that Quebecers were, at the very core, social democrats," McDonough said.

Ultimately, she said, it was Layton's "love and affection" for Quebec and his ability to share that feeling with the larger Canadian family that really resonated with all Canadians and propelled the party to Official Opposition status in the May election for the first time, she said.

Still, McDonough said, whether the New Democrats could find another leader to continue its recent successes without Layton remained to be seen.

"What the party can do from here on in, we'll see unfold," McDonough said.

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Mike Layton, Jack Layton's son, and Olivia Chow at the state funeral of Jack Layton in Toronto on Saturday.

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Unique tone at state funeral

An unconventional state funeral for former NDP leader Jack Layton took on the verve of a political rally Saturday, as friends and family tried to galvanize the national grief over the loss of his passionate voice into a call to action.

Elder NDP statesman Stephen Lewis led the charge, earning loud cheers and standing ovations as he extolled the virtues of Layton's social democratic vision for Canada.

Politicians of all stripes in attendance joined the crowd in applause as Lewis rattled off a host of Layton's New Democrat-friendly causes such as gay rights, housing and the environment.

Layton's final letter to Canadians, which has resonated with so many in the days since his death, was "at its heart, a manifesto for social democracy," Lewis, a former NDP leader and one-time Canadian ambassador, said.

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Canadians in mourning

Optimism may indeed be better than despair, but if the last week is any indication, Canadians have been finding it exceedingly hard to come by.

Jack Layton's death last Monday at the age of 61 was a shock, and the ensuing tide of grief has been no less of a surprise.

Tributes to the late NDP leader sprang up across the country in the days following his passing, particularly in Ottawa and Toronto City Hall.

Canadians again flocked to pay their respects on Saturday, lining downtown streets by the thousands, clad in NDP orange and swaddled in Canadian flags, as Layton's state funeral marked the end of one of the most remarkable political grieving periods in modern Canadian history.

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News in brief

Toronto taxi driver charged

TORONTO. A Toronto taxi driver has been charged after two fares said they were sexually assaulted. They were picked up in the city's entertainment district by a cab driver early on Saturday morning .

Feisal Galbat, 51, of Toronto, is charged with two counts of sexual assault and one count of forcible confinement.

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Four dead in Quebec crash

ST-FERDINAND, QUE. Four people have died in a helicopter crash near St-Ferdinand, some 115 kilometres south of Quebec City.

Officials say the helicopter went down around 9:15 p.m. Saturday in a remote wooded area.

Quebec provincial police arrived at the crash site around midnight.

The victims were two men, one woman and one child but their names have not been released. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Concern for UN safety grows after deadly attack

Nigeria largely divided Christian south and Muslim north 81 people injured in suicide bombing

Two top UN officials offered conflicting views yesterday on the safety of its Nigeria headquarters after a suicide car bombing there, as the world body paused to mourn the 23 people killed in the attack claimed by a radical Muslim sect.

UN security chief Gregory Starr acknowledged that safety features "could have been better" to stop the speeding sedan loaded with explosives.

Just hours later, UN Deputy Secretary-General Asha-Rose Migiro told journalists that the building had tight security.

Migiro laid bouquets of roses near a UN flag flying at half staff at the site of Friday's attack. She promised the UN would continue its work in Nigeria, an oil-rich country of 150 million people divided by religion and ethnicity.

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▶ Alex Iserhien, 55, recovers in hospital after being injured in a Friday suicide attack on UN headquarters, in Abuja, Nigeria. It was one of the deadliest attacks against the UN in a decade.

A suicide bomber rammed through two sets of gates to reach the UN building's reception hall.

There, the bomber detonated explosives powerful enough to bring down parts of the concrete structure and blow out glass windows from other buildings in the quiet neighbourhood filled with diplomatic posts.

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Barreling. Along

▶ Competitors push wine casks during the "Bravio delle botti" race in Montepulciano, Italy, yesterday.

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Village vino comes rolling on in

Each year, teams of two take part in a historical challenge that sees men from the eight districts of the city of Montepulciano roll barrels of wine along the narrow, uphill streets of the city centre.

Baghdad mosque bombed

A suicide bomber blew himself up inside Baghdad's largest Sunni mosque, killing 29 people during prayers, a shocking strike on a place of worship similar to the one that brought Iraq to the brink of civil war five years ago.

Officials say 38 more people were injured in the strike yesterday on the Um al-Qura mosque during prayers in the western Baghdad neighbourhood of Al-Jamiaah.

They said parliament lawmaker Khalid al-Fahdawi, a Sunni, was among the dead.

Iraqi security officials said parliament lawmaker Khalid al-Fahdawi, a Sunni, was among the dead.

That the bomber detonated his explosives vest inside the mosque is particularly alarming, as it is reminiscent of a 2006 attack on a Shiite shrine in the Sunni city of Samarra that fueled widespread sectarian violence and nearly ignited a nationwide civil war. In that strike, Sunni militants planted bombs around the Samarra shrine. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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As I watched the emotional response from Canadians, and especially Torontonians, over the past week to the death of Jack Layton, one question kept coming back to me: Where is Winnipeg's Jack?

While Layton may have been a national party leader, he was first a Toronto politician. The inspirational chalk memorial that spontaneously appeared on the grounds of Toronto City Hall this week spoke to the impact that Layton had on that city.

Layton was a city councillor for 20 years, and a charter member of Toronto's left wing. While he had a knack for generating headlines, he also brought issues like public transit, homelessness, gay and lesbian rights, environmental awareness and cycling infrastructure to the forefront of policy discussions. He's even credited with popularizing the 'ring-and-post' style of bike parking stand that now appears in cities around the world. And he did all of that without ever sitting in the mayor's chair.

I think it's safe to say the passing of any of our local officials wouldn't exactly inspire a run on chalk at the local craft store.

Even in opposition Layton was effective, most notably when he helped stop a proposal to bury Toronto's garbage in an abandoned Northern Ontario mine through an effective combination of policy analysis, media management and theatre (he screened a landfill-themed episode of The Simpsons during a council debate).

Now when was the last time opposition councillors in Winnipeg managed to do anything more dramatic than delay a meeting by a few hours or engage in a verbal pillow fight with the mayor? And as for the councillors who serve on EPC, calling them sheep who simply follow the mayor would be offensive. To the sheep.

While I wish them all long lives and productive careers, I think it's safe to say the passing of any of our local officials wouldn't exactly inspire a run on chalk at the local craft store.

Perhaps the closest we've come to Layton in recent years was Glen Murray, who turned outsider status on council into a relatively successful (though sometimes controversial) run as mayor and a growing national profile. Unfortunately, Murray started to believe his own hype and took a premature leap into federal politics before his legacy was intact.

So if there's a lesson that local politicians can draw from the past week, it's that they shouldn't be afraid to be passionate about their city and to fight for what they believe in; to take action rather than just making noise.

To borrow a piece of advice from one of the chalk tributes scrawled on the concrete of Nathan Phillip's Square: "Live by Jack's example. Don't agonize ... organize."

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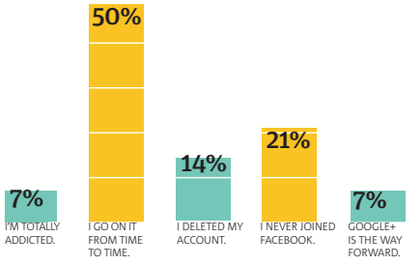
Some numbers suggest Facebook use in Canada has been slowing. What are your thoughts on the site?



Local tweets

@GoJetzGo: West jet got a chant going of jets go on flight from winnipeg to Montreal and the pilot landed like a champ in this wind. Nicely done

@mxgerald: Hey Nickelback haters in Winnipeg, their Sturgis concert is on #HDnet right now, and it's pretty damn good! Was never a fan, but they rock!

@DalydeGagne: Low income women in #Winnipeg suffer more than others when trying to get timely medical and mental health services. Comment #WRHA?

@TheAlMcLean: The Labour Day countdown has officially entered the home stretch. And this tweeter couldn't be more excited #bluebombers #winnipeg

@Josh_Halliday: Is every moron in Winnipeg at Costco right now!?!

@jelloelbows: I inadvertently got an autograph from the Winnipeg Jets team captain... spelled my name wrong. Ooops!

@callmecmac: Tonight, I make my return as #FantasyFootballGod. I love this time of year.

Worth mentioning

New school of freedom

ATHENS, GA. As college students return to campus in Georgia, a new state policy has closed the doors of the five most competitive state schools to illegal immigrants, but a group of professors has found a way to offer those students a taste of what they've been denied.

The five University of Georgia professors have started a program they're calling Freedom University. They're offering to teach a rigorous seminar course once a week meant to mirror courses taught at the most competitive schools and aimed at students who have graduated from high school but can't go to one of those top schools because of the new policy or because of cuts to state scholarship programs.

"What we're hoping is that people in decision-making positions will reconsider the policy," said Reinaldo Roman, one of the organizing professors. "It goes counter to our aims. We have invested enormous resources in these young people." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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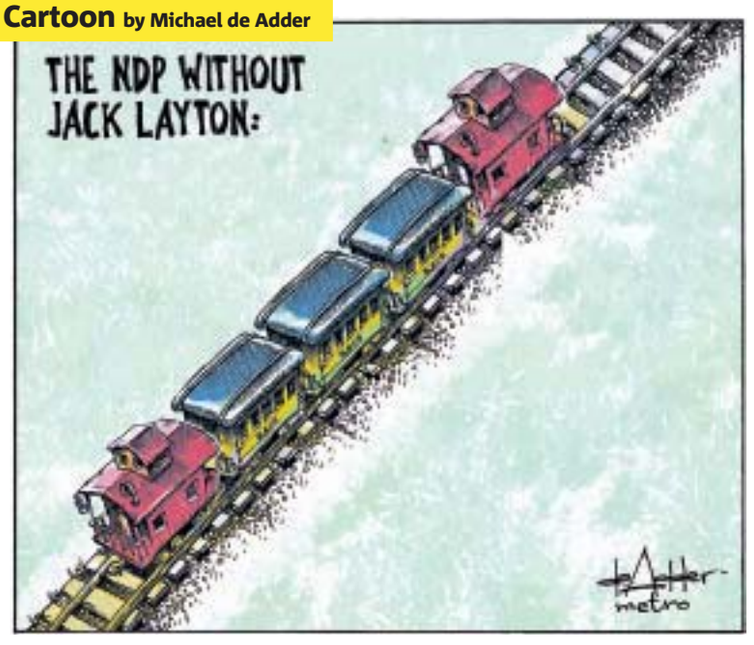

WEIRD NEWS

Not too posh to push around a cop in Mexico

An odd instance of police abuse in which two snobby women shoved, slapped and insulted a cop has captured Mexico's attention and sparked debate on police tactics, gender and class issues.

Tapes of the late-night confrontation on Aug. 20 in the upscale Mexico City neighbourhood of Polanco became a hit on social networking and video-sharing sites, exposing Mexicans' frustration with both the arrogant rich and ineffectual police.

Pulled over in a traffic stop, the two women shout, swear, shove and slap a policeman, who does nothing to resist. He tries to calm them, moves away several times and eventually allows them to drive away.

One of the women, a former Puebla state beauty queen identified as Maria Vanessa Polo Cajica, can be heard on the video waving her hand in front of the officer's face, insulting his mother and calling him a "crappy wage slave."

Police chief Manuel Mondragon said the officers were waiting for a backup unit of female officers to detain the pair, because male cops only physically detain women if someone's safety is at risk. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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▶ Air Canada agents process passengers in Halifax earlier this year. In the company's latest labour setback, flight attendants rejected a tentative agreement reached this month.

Flight attendants reject latest offer

Union says 87.8 per cent of those who voted turned down agreement Morale low, says union leader

The head of the union representing flight attendants at Air Canada hopes the federal government won't intervene in the escalating labour dispute between the two sides.

Jeff Taylor, president of the Air Canada component of CUPE, says he wants the government to respect the union's right to collective bargaining.

But he says it's difficult to predict what the Conservatives will do, noting they were about to legislate striking customer service staff back to work.

The customer service agents hastily reached a new contract with the airline in June before the government lowered its legislative hammer.

The flight attendants have overwhelmingly rejected a tentative agreement reached with the airline this month.

CUPE says it is organizing a strike vote for next month and intends to talk to management about restarting negotiations.

Air Canada issued a statement Saturday acknowledging the rejection by the flight attendants and declined to comment yesterday.

The airline is also negotiating with mechanics and baggage handlers.

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News in brief

Murdoch tech deal quashed

MEDIA. New York's comptroller has nixed a $27-million contract with one of media giant Rupert Murdoch's companies.

The Daily News reports that Thomas DiNapoli rejected a state Education Department contract with Wireless Generation, a News Corp. affiliate. It was to get $27 million of the state's $700 million to develop software that would track test scores.

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Economic fear ignites slump

ECONOMY. Fears over weak economic data in the U.S. has resulted in stock market havoc in recent weeks that has wiped out trillions of dollars in investments and savings and made people nervous on both sides of the border.

Last week alone, Canadian consumer confidence dropped to its lowest point in two years.

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Tax rules brew confusion

SAVINGS. Rules for a popular tax shelter continue to perplex Canadians, despite an information blitz by the Canada Revenue Agency and the big banks.

The agency sent out almost 103,000 letters to holders of tax-free savings accounts this month warning they likely overcontributed in 2010 and now must pay additional tax.

Thousands remain confused about the timing of deposits, which allow tax-free savings of up to $5,000 each year.

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Market moment

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Box office

The Help remains Hollywood's top draw with $14.3 million on a slow late-summer weekend whose business has come in even more sluggish as many East Coast theatres closed to ride out the storm there. Irene was downgraded from a hurricane to a tropical storm Sunday, but the weekend already was a lost cause for many theatres in its path. Late August often is a dumping ground for movies with slim commercial prospects, and Irene cut even further into receipts for the weekend's three new wide releases. Zoe Saldana's action tale Colombiana opened in second-place with $10.3 million. Guy Pearce and Katie Holmes' horror story Don't Be Afraid of the Dark debuted in third with $8.7 million. Paul Rudd's comedy Our Idiot Brother premiered at No. 5 with $6.6 million.

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▶ Etiquette guru Anthea Turner and chef Corbin Tomaszeski.

Hosting battles resume

Wrestlers, social butterflies and a straight-laced couple sharpen their knives and wits as the second season of Dinner Party Wars begins

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In a suburban kitchen on the outer edge of Toronto, half-cooked steak, mystery fish eggs and a whole lot of vodka set the scene for an "interesting" Russian-style dinner party.

Known more for their ability to throw a wild soirée than master a dinner party, hosts Erina Karamani and Elena Morozovathe focus their hosting energy on the entertainment portion of the evening: vodka shots, a martini demonstration and raunchy question period.

On the set of the reality show Dinner Party Wars, where teams take turns trying to one-up each others culinary prowess, hosting grace and entertainment abilities, the 24-year old hosts are delivered bad news moments before their guests arrive.

"That's not caviar," celebrity chef Corbin Tomaszeski tells the 24-year-old hosts. "That's roe."

Starring blankly at each other, the two blonds dressed in animal prints have to think quickly to come up with a plan B.

"Maybe it's their strategy to appear like dumb blonds who don't know what they're doing," says fellow contestant Greg Danakas. "But I'm sure they're not (dumb blonds) and they will really surprise us. But at least it will be interesting when they hit the kitchen."

Having grown up in the stock room of his parents' restaurant, Danakas says he and his wife Helen make a perfect hosting team.

"I do the cooking and he does the entertaining," she says adding his career as a high school drama teacher is evidence he's not one to shy away from centre stage.

"I'm pretty sure we can win this thing... After all, how can you beat Greek hospitality?"

What happens when you throw two wrestlers, a conservative couple and a life-of-the-party duo into a ring with a bottle of tequila? The season premier of Dinner Party Wars airs Wednesday at 10 p.m. ET/PT on Food Network Canada.

Party tips

- **Chef Corbin**
  Preparation, preparation, preparation. The number one reason people fail at dinner parties, says Corbin, is because they don't think ahead. "They fly by the seat of their pants and more often than not, are caught with them down."
- Cook what you know, know what you cook. "Too often we have people who want to play chef and cook things far too complicated," says Corbin. Keeping things simple is the key to success.
- Taste test. Serving before tasting is a common mistake, says Corbin. "Cooking from a recipe can be very clinical, so you need to be tasting and touching — you'll have a much better outcome."
- **Anthea Turner, etiquette guru**
  Get it done. Finishing chores well in advance leaves more time for the hosts to entertain. "Set the table the night before and get your clothes ready," says Turner, who says she sometimes lays plates and cutlery two nights before a shindig.
- Clean it! "Many times there's a toothbrush or remnants of kid's potty in the washroom. I don't want to see any of that," says Turner. Paying attention to the small details goes a long way: Fresh soap, and a clean hand towel are musts when hosting.

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Gibson reaches custody settlement

Mel Gibson and his ex-girlfriend have reached a financial and custody settlement of a bitter dispute that spawned a criminal case and left the Academy Award winner's reputation damaged.

Los Angeles Superior Court officials said in a statement late Friday that Gibson and Russian musician Oksana Grigorieva had reached an agreement after days of negotiation. Terms and conditions of the settlement were not announced, but a hearing Wednesday will be held to discuss the financial terms.

The equally contentious issue of custody of the couple's infant daughter will be handled in closed session, the court announced.

Gibson's spokesman Alan Nierob confirmed the settlement and said the actor-director appreciated the judge's help in mediating the case. Grigorieva spokesman Stephen Jaffe declined comment.

The former couple have sparred for more than a year over custody and financial issues in a mostly-secret court proceeding in Los Angeles. In June 2010, Gibson's attorney Stephen Kolodny said that his client had provided his ex-girlfriend with a four-bedroom, multimillion dollar home, vehicle and tens of thousands of dollars a month.

It is unclear exactly how much Grigorieva has been receiving since then.

The Braveheart star was charged with misdemeanour domestic battery as a result of a January 2010 fight with Grigorieva and pleaded no contest earlier this year. The actor-director entered his plea in a way in which he admitted no guilt, and Grigorieva cannot use the outcome in a civil case.

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▶ Mel Gibson and Oksana Grigorieva

Lovers, laughs

Sofia Coppola ties the knot

GARDEN CEREMONY. Sofia Coppola married longtime partner and Phoenix singer Thomas Mars in an intimate ceremony near Rome over the weekend, according to the Associated Press.

The bride was walked down the aisle by her father, Francis Ford Coppola, and guests at the low-key ceremony included Johnny Depp and Talia Shire. "Everything went well," says Bernalda Mayor Leondardo Chiruzzi, who performed the ceremony. "It was simple, calm, in the garden."

The couple have two young daughters together.

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Gervais may go for broke

GOLDEN GLOBES. Despite the uproar over his roasting of Angelina Jolie, Robert Downey Jr. and others at January's Golden Globes ceremony, Ricky Gervais says NBC has invited him back to do it all again, he tells the Guardian.

"I love NBC, I love the fact they stuck by me through it," he says.

But is he considering taking the stage again in 2012?

"I am but I shouldn't do it," he says.

"It's a second encore. Don't do a second encore. I don't think I should do it. What am I going back as?"

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Celebrity tweets

@lindsaylohan

"Everyone please say a prayer for those in NY at this current time... my 2 brothers, grandmother, as well as friends are all in NY— god bless"

@ElizabethBanks

"Everybody in the hurricane, be safe. Everybody else, let your worry about the hurricane fade away while seeing #OurIdiotBrother tonight!"

@piersmorgan

"Current banner headline on #CNN — 'PIERS TAKES A BEATING FROM IRENE.' It's OK, I'm fine. #irene"

@SteveMartinToGo

New "approach to hurricane Irene. I'm going to try to reason with it."

Was Derek just a short stop for Minka?

Rumour has it that Minka Kelly may already be rebounding with her new co-star

News of Derek Jeter and Minka Kelly's breakup has just started circulating, but has the actress, who starred in 2011's The Roomate already moved on?

Kelly has reportedly been getting close to her Charlie's Angels co-star, Ramon Rodriguez, according to People magazine.

"We have seen Minka and Ramon talking in his trailer way after hours, and often late into the night," a source close to the show says.

"They have been together long after they need to be for the show."

But another source insists there's nothing go on: "They're just friends.

"Ramon is basically the only guy on set so of course they all hang out with him."

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▶ Minka Kelly and Derek Jeter

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Grandparents step in to help grandkids as families struggle in bad economy.

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▶ Reversible bucket hats are just one of the many projects in Oliver + S: Little Things to Sew by Liesl Gibson.

Last-minute summer projects

Making clothes with your kids' input is a great way to bond Try bucket hats as a start

Making a bucket hat probably isn't on anyone's bucket list, but maybe it should be.

The reversible bucket hat in the book Oliver + S: Little Things to Sew (STC Craft, 2011) is classic, cute and comfortable. And author Liesl Gibson maintains that making it is a treat for grown-ups as well as the young recipients.

Sewing, for Gibson, is "almost a luxury." It "buys you some time to do something creative with your hands. When many of us work on computers and aren't doing much with our hands, there's a satisfaction in creating."

Gibson, a former clothing designer, began designing patterns for children's clothing several years ago, for her young daughter.

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When others started asking for her patterns, she launched her Oliver + S line of patterns, and followed up with the book. It includes new takes on classic items such as a messenger bag, art smock and tutu. Gibson designed an "explorer vest" with lots of pockets after watching her daughter and friends gather stones, twigs and other little treasures.

Difficulty

Each project in the book is rated by difficulty using a one-four "scissor" system.

- **One pair of scissors** Projects marked this way are suitable for beginners.
- **Four pairs of scissors** These projects are for advanced sewers.

Gibson said she's been encouraged to see many women learning to sew when they become mothers. But she also believes her patterns and projects have a broader appeal, to anyone interested in sewing for children because it doesn't take much fabric and doesn't involve the fussy fitting issues that make sewing adult clothes difficult.

"I think the big surprise for me was that it wasn't such a small audience," she said.

While children likely would find some of the toy projects more appealing, the classic clothing and accessory designs lend themselves to experimenting with a variety of fabrics. The bucket hat, for example, can be customized by using a patterned fabric featuring a particular child's interests.

And a child who might otherwise balk at wearing a hat might embrace one that he or she had a hand in.

As with many of the book's projects, Gibson designed the hat with her daughter in mind. But it works just as well for boys.

The hat is reversible, so you can choose two favourite fabrics, or you could put a pocket on the outside.

It is rated "two scissors" because it requires sewing curved seams and topstitching, but no one step is complicated.

"It's small enough that you can make a bunch," Gibson said.

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▶ Veggie pizzas on naan bread can be cooked on the grill.

These vegetarian grilled naan bread pizzas have a delicious twist. Walnuts, Parmesan cheese and sun-dried tomatoes serve as a base for a topping of fresh vegetables. The pizzas make a great appetizer served on a rustic cutting board for six to eight people.

Naan Bread Pizza

Preparation:

1. Combine walnuts, Parmesan and sun-dried tomatoes with a hand blender or food processor until a paste forms. Divide evenly between flatbreads and top with vegetables and cheese.
2. Preheat one side of barbecue on high and place pizzas on cooler side of grill. Close lid and bake for 7 to 10 minutes or until vegetables are cooked and cheese has melted.
3. Oven Method: Preheat oven to 200 C (400 F) and place pizzas directly on centre rack. Bake for 7 minutes. Broil on high for 2 minutes to brown vegetables, if desired.

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Ingredients:

- 125 ml (1/2 cup) walnuts
- 125 ml (1/2 cup) grated Parmesan cheese
- 7 sun-dried tomatoes
- 30 ml (2 tbsp) water
- 2 naan flatbreads
- 125 ml (1/2 cup) thinly sliced zucchini
- 125 ml (1/2 cup) thinly sliced onion, caramelized
- 75 ml (1/3 cup) sliced mushrooms
- 8 cherry tomatoes, sliced
- 50 ml (1/4 cup) canned artichokes, sliced
- 75 ml (1/3 cup) grated low-fat mozzarella

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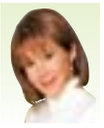

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Mediterranean Pizza

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It makes a healthy and novel way to present one of our favourite snacks.

Preparation:

1. Preheat oven to 200 C (400 F). Generously mist a pizza pan with non-stick vegetable oil spray.
2. Bake crust for 8 to 12 minutes or until golden brown. (Baking times may vary depending upon type of pizza crust.)
3. Spread dip over hot crust. Top with spinach, artichokes, tomatoes, olives, feta cheese and pepper. Return pizza to oven for 5 to 7 minutes. Cut and serve.

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Ingredients:

- 1 prepared pizza crust or homemade pizza crust (25 to 30 cm/10 to 12 inches in diameter)
- 175 ml (3/4 cup) spinach-artichoke Greek yogurt dip
- 250 ml (1 cup) packed baby spinach leaves
- 250 ml (1 cup) canned artichoke hearts, cut into slivers
- 250 ml (1 cup) halved cherry tomatoes
- 75 ml (1/3 cup) pitted and halved kalamata olives
- 125 ml (1/2 cup) crumbled feta cheese
- 2 ml (1/2 tsp) ground black pepper

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"The term CCD (colony collapse disorder) was first coined in the later part of 2006 when there was a huge rise in the number of honey bees that began disappearing from their hives in North America and Europe," says photographer Geoff Fitzgerald.

"The main reason is still unknown; however there are many proposed causes like malnutrition, pathogens, mites, fungus and pesticides. Many scientists believe this phenomenon is caused by a combination of these factors; it is still hard to say."

Living in downtown Toronto, Fitzgerald never thought beekeeping in the city was possible. That was until he heard about the hives on the roof of the Fairmont Royal York Hotel.

Fitzgerald is chronicling the efforts of the Royal York, along with those by the Canadian Opera Company at the Four Seasons Centre for the Performing Arts and University of Toronto campuses.

Fitzgerald hopes to expand the series to include Fairmont hotels in Vancouver, Quebec and Calgary.

He also wants to photograph hives at Vancouver's city hall and the convention centre.

"I wanted to shoot these photographs as environmental portraits, not just close-ups of bees but to really show the urban environment, rooftop location and its surroundings.

I wanted the viewer to see the (person) behind the mask, to see how proud and passionate they are of their busy, hard working girls."

LEARN MORE ABOUT PHOTOGRAPHER GEOFF FITZGERALD'S WORK AT GEOFFFITZGERALD.CA

ALL PHOTOS GEOFF FITZGERALD

▶ Fred Davis checks on the bees on the roof of the Four Seasons Centre for the Performing Arts.

▶ Brian Hamlin, University of Toronto, Scarborough campus

▶ Melanie Coates on top of the Fairmont Royal York in Toronto.

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MAKE YOUR H.E. WASHING MACHINE EVEN GREENER

I found your green cleaning recipes online and I wonder what you mean by 'soap granules' used in the liquid laundry soap recipe. Would this alternative be safe to use in high efficiency (H.E.) front load machines? *Marie, Guelph, Ont.*

QUEEN OF GREEN

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Welcome to the rid-your-home-of-toxic-chemicals-and-petroleum-based-ingredients club!

Tested by yours truly, my homemade green cleaning recipes are versatile, affordable and eco-friendly.

Soap granules or flakes are just that: bits of soap that cut grease and lift dirt.

Look for brands that are biodegradable, petroleum-free, without added fragrance or perfumes, and not tested on animals.

If you can't find soap granules in the laundry aisle of your grocery store, try a local health food store or search online.

You can also make your own — grate a bar of soap or use those leftover soap slivers.

Still stumped? I've added another DIY recipe using liquid castile soap, which is made of plant oils like coconut, olive and hemp.

Look for liquid castile soap in the laundry or personal care products aisles of your grocery or local health food store, or purchase online.

All of my laundry soap recipes work in cold water and in H.E. machines.

Since water hardness varies across the country, it's best to test them yourself and see the amount you'll need to add per load.

H.E. machines use less water, so the general rule is that you can use less soap!

Link to recipes online at davidsuzuki.org/publications/resources/2011/green-cleaning-recipes.

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Green washing takes on a whole new meaning.

Cash is calling

From duct taping dresses to community outreach
Securing a scholarship no longer dependent on grades

CHRIS YOUNG/THE CANADIAN PRESS

▶Rehanna Devraj-Kizuk volunteered at a hospital during high school and sat on student council, initiatives that earned her $10,000 in post-secondary award money.

According to a 2010 Statistics Canada report, the percentage of students who graduate saddled with debt has risen over the past decade from 49 per cent to 57 per cent.

But what if someone told you there are millions of dollars available in scholarships and bursaries, many of which go unclaimed every year?

Read on for tips to help you secure your diploma without breaking the bank.

Do your research

Don't discount yourself based on your grades. There are scholarships available for everything from enjoying curling to being tall.

Winners of the Stuck at Prom scholarship get $5,000 for making their prom outfits out of duct tape, while the Harmony Movement hands out $1,000 to 10 students who create change in their communities.

Peruse websites like StudentAwards.com and ScholarshipsCanada.com, which have extensive databases of awards.

"There's a lot of money down here, and unfortunately it's not always easy to distribute with the lack of demand from students."
NORMAN SEQUIN, FINANCIAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATOR, UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA

Chris Wilkins, president of Edge Interactive, says 81 per cent of the awards on ScholarshipsCanada.com don't require an academic average, and 70 per cent don't require students to demonstrate financial need.

Apply!

Norman Seguin, a financial services administrator at the University of Ottawa says there are plenty of bursaries at the school that go unclaimed.

"There's a lot of money down here, and unfortunately it's not always easy to distribute the money with the lack of demand from the students," says Seguin.

Peter Flynn, 21, suggests setting aside a block of time every night to apply for scholarships.

The University of Toronto law school student managed to cover all of his tuition and about half of his living costs during his undergraduate studies at the University of Ottawa with scholarship money.

Check back often

"There isn't a scholarship season," says Tyson. "Companies decide at any time of year that they want to put money out into the marketplace to help students."

There may be more scholarships available during some months than others. For instance, about 13 per cent of the awards on ScholarshipsCanada.com have an April deadline, while only one per cent are due in December.

But there are awards available all throughout the year, says Wilkins, so it's a good idea to keep checking back every month.

And many universities have awards available to second-, third- and fourth-year students, so keep looking for opportunities beyond your first year.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

To our many terrific teachers, with love

Valedictorian Jemy Joseph says she owes much to her teachers who pushed her to put her best foot forward

TURNING POINT

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"Teachers are angels disguised as humans".

▶ Jemy Joseph

Jemy Joseph looked out from the podium to her graduating class at Francis Libermann School.

How far she had come since arriving at the age of 14 from India feeling scared and confused about life in a strange new country.

"I was verbally abused and bullied by other students."

It was her Canadian teachers that provided the turning point for Jemy in her early years in Canada.

"They dragged me into extracurricular activities. I joined the band and became the editor of the yearbook."

Under the gentle guidance and leadership of her teachers, Jemy graduated with top honours and is now pursuing a Master's degree in Cardiovascular Sciences at the University of Ottawa.

"I will be a doctor and I'd like to focus on public health, preventative medicine and health policy."

We are now on the threshold of a new school year and this is Jemy Joseph's love letter to all the teachers who helped her and scores of young people fit in, learn and succeed:

To all of our teachers in life, we say thank you.

The facts:

A quick lesson on our country's teachers.

- Number of teachers in Canada: 332,974
- A recent study found that more than 80 per cent of teachers say their greatest satisfaction is: "Making a difference in children's lives" and "Helping develop and motivate children"
- Eight in 10 teachers said they would still become a teacher if they had to do it all again

Canadian Teachers' Federation, Conference Board of Canada

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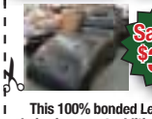

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4 sports

Lincicome weathers storm

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▶ Brittany Lincicome hoists the winner's trophy at the CN Canadian Women's Open yesterday in Mirabel, Que.

American beats poor conditions to win Canadian Women's Open

Brittany Lincicome put a new spin on the old show tune Singing In the Rain as she gritted her way through a storm to victory in the $2.2-million CN Canadian Women's Open.

The 25-year-old American made a dramatic par save in a driving rain to close with a 2-under 70 and edge defending champion Michelle Wie and Stacy Lewis by one stroke at Hillsdale Golf Club yesterday in Mirabel, Que.

Lincicome, who earned $331,492, said she kept herself calm by singing country songs to herself as she parred the final six holes to stay ahead of Lewis and hold off Wie, the winner last year in Winnipeg. Wie sank long putts at the 15th and 17th to make it close with an even-par 72.

Lewis had put up the low score of the day — a 67 on a day in which only 16 of 78 were under par — more than an hour earlier.

"I was very patient, singing a lot of songs, very chatty," said Lincicome, who said singing to herself is part of her sports psychology program to stay focused. "The weather was not great, but I was still having fun."

In her post-match interview, she cautioned that "I'm not a good singer, so I'm not singing for you."

The victory was nearly as sweet for her caddy, former LPGA regular A.J. Eathorne of Penticton, B.C., whose own playing career has been on hold since 2009.

Lincicome pulled her tee shot on 18 into a tent and had to take a drop, but managed to get the ball up near the green, chip it close and make the winning putt. She also had fine saves on the eighth and ninth.

"I'm growing as a golfer, I guess," said Lincicome. "If this would have happened a couple of years ago, I'm not sure how I would have handled it."

Playing in the last group, Wie needed birdie on 18 to force a playoff, but missed the green to the right and left her chip shot wide and short. She made the putt to keep a share of second place and win $174,812.

Fears that the final round would be washed out by remnants of Tropical Storm Irene did not pan out. Rain and nasty gusts of wind hit the lead groups about midway through their rounds, but nothing that would force a stoppage in play. THE CANADIAN PRESS.

Canada's best

The low Canadian at the tournament was Jessica Shepley of Oakville, Ont., at 1 under.

- Sixteen-year-old Jisoo Keel of Coquitlam, B.C., was the low amateur at the Canadian Open at 4 over.
- Next year's Canadian Women's Open will be held at the Vancouver Golf Club in Coquitlam.

Quoted

"Looking for tears? Not going to happen."

USAIN BOLT, WHO WAS DISQUALIFIED IN THE 100-METRE SPRINT FINAL AT THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS IN DAEGU, SOUTH KOREA, YESTERDAY. THE OLYMPIC CHAMPION SNAPPED AT ANYONE WHO TRIED TO ASK HIM ABOUT THE FALSE START THAT LED TO HIS ELIMINATION.

"I was so surprised because we have been talking about that in training and now it happens."

BOLT'S JAMAICAN TEAMMATE, YOHAN BLAKE, WHO WENT ON TO WIN THE GOLD MEDAL.

Scan code for more sports.

Price dominant as Rays cruise past Jays

RAYS	BLUE JAYS
12	0

The wind was blowing in David Price's face all day, and the left-hander was blowing the ball past the Blue Jays.

Price struck out a club-record 14 and Desmond Jennings had the first two-homer game of his career as the Tampa Bay Rays hammered the Toronto Blue Jays 12-0 yesterday.

Price said stiff winds made his two-seam fastball move more than it ever has.

"That wind blowing in my face did a lot for my two-seamer," said Price, who is 9-1 in his career against the Jays. "So I was having a lot of fun."

Price (12-11) held the Blue Jays to three hits and two walks in seven innings.

The Rays (73-59) had 18 total strikeouts in the game, also a franchise record, and have won the first three of a four-game series against the Jays (66-67), who have lost four straight to match a season high.

Brandon Morrow (9-9) allowed six hits, three walks and five runs in 5 ⅓ innings for the loss. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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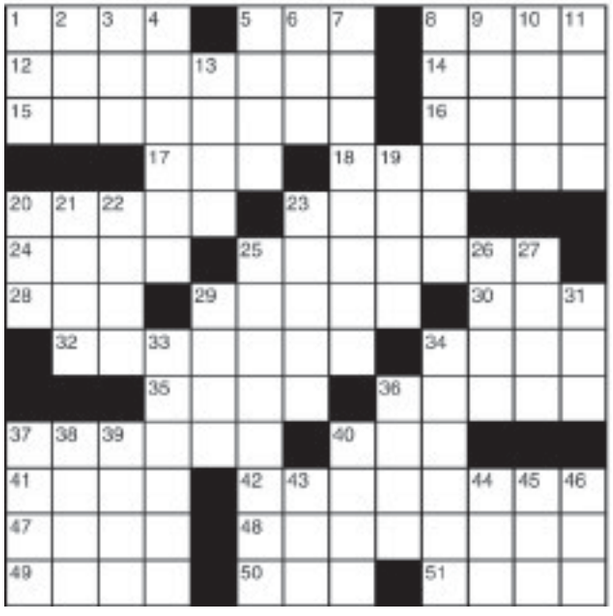
▶ Tampa Bay's David Price pitches at Rogers Centre in Toronto yesterday.

Crossword



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1 Largest continent
5 Nourished
8 No different
12 "Cabaret" star
14 Tel —
15 Basis for some word puzzles
16 Central points
17 Mouth part
18 Form of embroidery
20 Rouge location
23 Coin aperture
24 Mine, partially
25 Examine
28 Inventor Whitney
29 Path
30 Listening organ
32 California city
34 Exceptional
35 Authentic
36 Actress Ringwald
37 Hibiscus or hollyhock
40 Abrade
41 Author Wiesel
42 Huge constrictor
47 Microwave, e.g.
48 America's Cup competition
49 Test the waters
50 007 is one
51 Argument

Down

1 "I — Camera"
2 Sermon subject
3 "— pig's eye!"
4 They're measured in degrees
5 Envelope part
6 Shady tree
7 Repudiate
8 Two-pointer in football
9 Acknowledge
10 "Three Blind —"
11 Satanic
13 Actor Estrada
19 Bun
20 Miler Sebastian
21 Hawaiian dance
22 Ms. Brockovich
23 Slow-moving gastropod
25 Accesses to a basement
26 Ardor
27 Count counterpart
29 Vincent van Gogh's brother
31 King (Sp.)
33 Francis or Dahl
34 Automatons
36 Lots
37 Cat call?
38 Thomas — Edison
39 Told tales
40 Risque
43 Siesta
44 Pinch
45 "CSI" evidence
46 Representative (Abbr.)chgoer

▶ Friday's answer

Sudoku

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5			8		7			2
	2			6		1		
	4		1					6
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	9	7		8				

How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

Friday's answer ▶

9	5	3	4	1	7	6	2	8
2	8	4	6	5	3	9	1	7
1	7	6	8	9	2	5	4	3
5	2	7	3	6	8	1	9	4
6	3	9	2	4	1	7	8	5
4	1	8	9	7	5	2	3	6
3	4	5	1	2	6	8	7	9
7	9	1	5	8	4	3	6	2
8	6	2	7	3	9	4	5	1

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The Dude
We will all love to wish you a Happy 78th Birthday. You are a wonderful , kind, caring man who loves are grandmother a lot. Your always there for her and have been for 50 years. You have been there for us since day one. We look at you as our grandpa. Words can describe how much you have done for us and been there. Happy birthday dude. We all love you very much.
FROM THE B FAMILY

A look at the weather

Jenna Khan, Weather Specialist
BT BREAKFAST TELEVISION
"Weather impacts everything we do. Providing the information you need before you head out that door and take on the day is the best part of my morning." **WEEKDAYS 6AM**

TODAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
Min 12° Max 27°	Min 16° Max 28°	Min 17° Max 31°

Today's horoscope

For today's crossword answers and for expanded horoscopes, go to metronews.ca

♈ Aries March 21-April 20 You may be planning to do more but deep down you know you are working hard enough already.

♉ Taurus April 21-May 21 Obstacles are few and opportunities are limitless.

♊ Gemini May 22-June 21 You must do all you can to avoid some kind of feud or falling out.

♋ Cancer June 22-July 22 Your communication skills are sharp at the moment, so make sure everyone knows what you think.

♌ Leo July 23-Aug.23 You need to find clever solutions to difficult problems. One way is to be more adaptable.

♍ Virgo Aug. 24- Sept. 22 A new moon in your sign indicates a new start in whatever areas of your life you think most need to change.

♎ Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23 Think deeply about your life and the direction it is taking.

♏ Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22 Get involved in something that is bigger than yourself, something that can change the world for the better.

♐ Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21 Think of ways you can impress colleagues, employers and other important people.

♑ Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20 Be outspoken but don't go too far and say things that might make you powerful enemies.

♒ Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18 You are carrying a lot of excess emotional baggage at the moment and need to lighten your load a bit.

♓ Pisces Feb. 19-March 20. No matter how bad your own situation might be you must make time to help loved ones solve their problems first. . SALLY BROMPTON

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DESCRIPTIONS FOR 2012 PRIDE WINNIPEG FESTIVAL POSITIONS:

PARADE DIRECTOR
Distribute and follow up Float Registration packages. Communicate with city and provincial officials and acquire required permits. Educate float marshals parade marshals and coordinate parade line up. Oversee all aspects of parade day.

STREET PARTY DIRECTOR
Coordinate with local Area Biz organization to produce Pride Kick Off Street Party on the first Sunday of Pride Week, including beer tent and stage entertainment. Work with Grounds, Sponsorship, Beer Tent, Volunteer and other Directors to engage all aspects of the event. Communicate with city and provincial officials to ensure permits are in place and compliance with regulations.

VOLUNTEER DIRECTOR
Work with Pride committee to seek volunteer groups and individuals for a variety of events and projects throughout the year, in particular Pride Day. Top notch organizational and communication skills are a must. Coordinate Volunteer packages, orientations, Pride Day Volunteer Tent and assignments. Work closely with other Directors to ensure volunteer coverage of all required areas.

BEVERAGE TENT COORDINATOR
Work with Grounds Director at the Forks and Street Party Director to produce beverage tents at the two noted Pride Events. Apply for applicable city and provincial permits and ensure all regulations are followed. Coordinate with sponsors to utilize and promote products sold in the beverage tent. This position reports to the Grounds Director.

RAFFLE COORDINATOR
Ensure required regulations for Fundraising raffle are met. Produce Raffle books and create a distribution system ensuring secure financials. Work with committee to create prize line up. Work with Volunteer Director to ensure dependable raffle sellers. Set up system to report and record data received by the raffle. This position does not have to attend monthly meeting and will report to the Sponsorship Director.

DISTRIBUTION COORDINATOR
Distribute with a volunteer team, a full round of Pride Guides, posters and related handouts to all major city districts and appropriate locations, approximately four weeks prior to Pride Week. Continue checks of high traffic locations two weeks prior to Pride Week and replenish as needed. Distribute a final round, with a volunteer team, one week prior to Pride Week. Continue checks at major locations during Pride Week. Record locations and distribution numbers for efficient distribution patterns in future years. This position does not have to attend monthly meeting and reports to the Communications Director.

STAGE MANAGER
Work with performers contracted by Pride Winnipeg to ensure all booking, biographical, and stage requirements are established well in advance of Pride Day. Work with Hospitality Coordinator to ensure sound checks and performance times are met. Work with Pride Finance to ensure performer checks are prepared and distributed on Pride Day. Work with volunteer stage crew, AV contractor and Stage MC(s) to produce shows at the Kick Off Street Party and Pride Day. This position does not have to attend monthly meeting and will work with the performer booking committee member. Currently this is the Pride Chair.

TOURISM COORDINATOR
Work with all levels of government and private organizations relating to tourism and promotion of Pride Winnipeg Festival. Establish contacts with queer organizations and other Prides in Canada and the US to share the highlights of the city of Winnipeg and the queer community. Keep track of tourism in Winnipeg as a result of Pride for statistical reporting purposes. Work with Sponsorship Director to promote sponsors products and services and direct tourists to local supporting businesses.

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